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Initial Review

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 RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2516

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PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
NAOKI NISHIMURA	:	Examiner: Ali Neyzari
Appln. No.: 08/389,579	:	Group Art Unit: 2516
Filed: February 15, 1995	:	
For: MAGNETOOPTICAL RECORDING	)	April 2, 1997
MEDIUM AND METHOD FOR	:	<b>RECEIVED</b>
REPRODUCING INFORMATION	)	
FROM A MAGNETOOPTICAL	:	APR 17 1997
RECORDING MEDIUM HAVING	)	
THREE LAYERS	:	<b>GROUP 2500</b>
(As Amended)	)	

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated October 2, 1996, the time for responding to which having been extended three months from January 2, 1997 to April 2, 1997, by the accompanying Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), please amend the above-identified application as follows: